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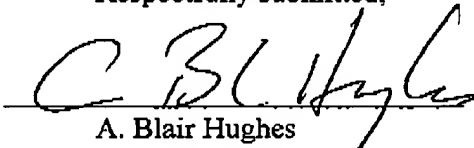
In regard to the above identified application:

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  - a. Response to Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with Specification with Appendix A
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Dear Sir:

On July 5, 2005, the U.S. Patent Office issued a Notice of Drawing Inconsistency with the above-identified application. A copy of the Notice is attached at Appendix A of this Reply.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.